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In the Specification:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121(b)(3), applicants respectfully request that the Office delete (I) the illustration on page 43, lines 28-37 of the specification, and (ii) the illustration on page 65, lines 5-7 of the specification.

In addition please replace the paragraph starting at line 8 on page 65 with the following rewritten paragraph:

The graph in Fig. 8 illustrates one of the possible outputs of the ABI Prism 7900HT. This window shows the amount of fluorescence in each amplification cycle for each reaction. The threshold cycle (C_t) is shown by the darker horizontal line.

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Brief Description of the Drawings

Applicants respectfully request that the Office insert the following brief description at line 16 on page 7 of the application:

FIG. 7 A2 mice of various genotypes provide an enriched in vivo source of preadipocytes and adipocytes.

FIG. 8 This graph illustrates one of the possible outputs of the ABI Prism 7900HT. This window shows the amount of fluorescence in each amplification cycle for each reaction. The threshold cycle (C_t) is shown by the darker horizontal line.